

### Lomita Kiwanians Host Honor Roll At Harbor J.C.

Kiwanis Clubs of Lomita, San Pedro and Wilmington sponsored the third Harbor College Scholarship Recognition Banquet yesterday in the campus center, college president Wendell C. Black said today.

Banquet honored 47 currently enrolled students who have contributed to the educational program of the college by maintaining records of high scholastic achievement, as shown by appointment to the president's Honor List or membership in Alpha Gamma Sigma, California honorary scholarship society.

Local residents named to both the list and to the society are: Marcel Derouin, Harbor City; Harold Hastings, Lomita; Robert N. Linton, Torrance; John Sexton, Harbor City; James S. Tagami, Torrance; Ronald Edward Walters, Torrance; Virginia Whitcomb, Lomita; Marilyn Dexheimer, Lomita; Valerie Truscott, Lomita; and Gerald L. Smith, Harbor City.

Lomita Kiwanis Club served as host for the evening's activities, which included a regular inter-club meeting.

Mrs. Georgiana Hardy, member of the Los Angeles City Board of Education and popular television personality, was the featured dinner speaker.

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### Special Christmas Services Slated

"What Do You Expect for Christmas?" will be the sermon topic of Dr. R. Murray Jones at the First Presbyterian Church of Gardena, 1957 Redondo Beach Blvd., Sunday, December 18. Worship service is held each Sunday at 10:15 a.m. with child care provided in one of the new Sunday school rooms.

Church school is held at 1842 Gardena Blvd. every Sunday from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. for nursery through junior high. Senior and adult classes meet at the church during the same hour.

There will be no Sunday school on Christmas Sunday, but all are urged to come to church to worship as a family at 11 a.m. on Christmas Sunday.

All Church Christmas Program will be held at 7 on Sunday evening, December 18. The program will consist of spoken pieces and music telling the Christmas story. All departments of the church school will be represented. Members and friends of the church and church school are invited to attend.

An invitation is extended to all in the community to attend the Annual Candlelight service at 11 p.m. Christmas eve. The Chancel Choir will present a program of carols from ours and other lands.

### Harbor Area Leads Current Chest Appeal

Harbor leads the Los Angeles area in the Advance Gifts division of the Community Chest campaign, according to Frode Kilstofte, Harbor area Advance Gifts chairman.

Harbor area cities have now collected 79.83 percent of their Advance Gifts goal. Beverly Hills Bell-Air division is second with 79.41 percent of goal reported. The Advance Gifts division volunteers are soliciting donors who are in a position to make generous gifts to the Red Feather appeal.

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Four local cities are included in the Harbor area Advance Gifts campaign. The San Pedro division is under the direction of Dr. Maurice Okum. Wilmington's Advance Gifts appeal is led by chairman John Chadwick. Advance Gifts in Torrance is under the direction of Dr. Robert Jackson. G. R. Younkin is leading the Gardena division.

Pioneer Chest leader, Frode Kilstofte, president of Rossman Mill and Lumber Company, has been active in the United Way appeal for 36 years.

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### Eight Parks, Sixteen Playgrounds Will Remain Open During Vacation

Eight parks and 16 school playgrounds will be open during Christmas vacation at Torrance.

Torrance Recreation Department said the El Nido, El Retiro, La Romeria, Paradise, McMaster, Sea-Aire Torrance and Walteria Parks will open at 9 a.m. Mondays thru Saturdays.

Opening at 10 a.m. on the same days will be the playgrounds of the Anza, Calle Mayor, Casimir, Flavian, Greenwood, Hamilton, Hillside, Lincoln, Madrona, Meadow Park, Magruder, Paradise, Riviera, Sea-side, Sepulveda and Howard Wood Schools.

All will close at 1 p.m. on Dec. 24 and re-open on Tuesday December 27.

Regular men's basketball schedules will be maintained but there will be no co-ed volleyball sessions at South High School on Dec. 22 and 29. Sea-Aire Golf Course will be closed Dec. 25, Jan. 1 and 2. Boy's basketball clinics and signups for the leagues beginning January 7 will take place in the North, Torrance and South Hi boy's gyms. The clinics will be conducted from 9-4 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 17 for boys in the 5th thru 8th grades. Further information is available by calling the Recreation Dept. FA 8-4108.

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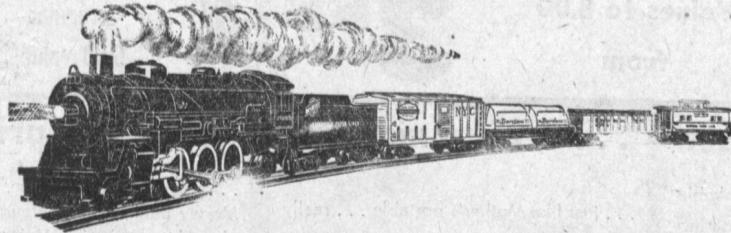
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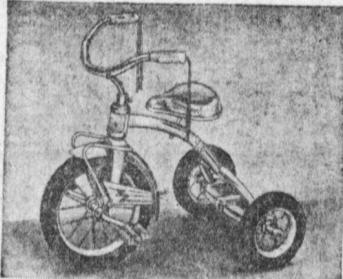
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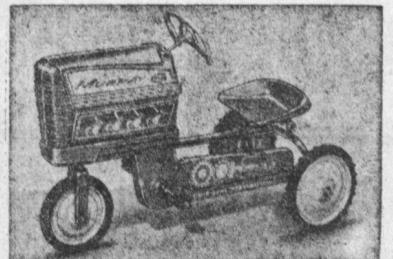
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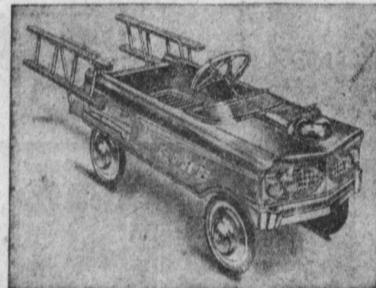
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